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**TO:** NATIONAL APPRENTICESHIP SYSTEM STAKEHOLDERS

OFFICE OF APPRENTICESHIP STAFF

STATE APPRENTICESHIP AGENCIES

**FROM:** JOHN V. LADD /s/

Administrator, Office of Apprenticeship

**SUBJECT:** RevisedNational Guidelines for Apprenticeship Standards for the International Union of Electronic, Electrical, Salaried, Machine and Furniture Workers (IUE), the Industrial Division of the Communications Workers of America (CWA), AFL-CIO, CLC.

1. **Purpose.** To inform the staff of OA and the State Apprenticeship Agencies (SAA), Registered Apprenticeship program sponsors and other Registered Apprenticeship partners of the approval of revised National Guidelines for Apprenticeship Standards for the IUE-CWA.
2. **Action Requested.** The OA staff should familiarize themselves with this bulletin. A copy of the revised National Guidelines for Apprenticeship Standards and the Work Process Schedule and Related Instruction Outlines are attached.
3. **Summary and Background.**
   1. Summary – These revised National Guidelines for Apprenticeship, were submitted by Mr. Dwight A. Richardson, Skilled Trades Director, on behalf of the IUE-CWA, were processed by Kirk Jefferson and approved by the OA Administrator and approved by the OA Administrator on July 10, 2024.
   2. Background –

***NGS Background -*** National Guidelines for Apprenticeship Standards (NGS) are a template of high-quality apprenticeship program standards submitted by a labor union, trade or industry association, employer, workforce intermediary, education provider, or other organizations with national scope; these apprenticeship standards may be certified by OA in instances where they are (1) found suitable for adoption or adaptation by State or local affiliates of the submitting organization, and (2) fully satisfy the regulatory requirements set forth at 29 CFR Parts 29 and 30 and any sub-regulatory guidance issued thereunder. NGS that receive certification by OA may be registered subsequently on a local basis by the applicable Registration Agency (either by an OA State Office or by a State Apprenticeship Agency (SAA)) within a particular State or jurisdiction where a program adopting the NGS standards is situated. A local affiliate or sponsoring employer that adopts a set of NGS standards may elect to implement those program standards without modification in registering the program on the State or local level, or it may customize the NGS standards to meet State-specific criteria.

1. **Revised National Guidelines for Apprenticeship Standards.** These revised National Guidelines for Apprenticeship Standards are a model for developing local apprenticeship programs with OA or a SAA for the following occupations:

Electrician, Maintenance

O\*NET-SOC CODE: 47-2111.00

RAPIDS CODE: 0643

Type of Training: Time-based

Electrician (Alternate Title: Interior Electrician)

O\*NET-SOC CODE: 47-2111.00

RAPIDS CODE: 0159

Type of Training: Time-based

Machine Repairer, Maintenance

O\*NET-SOC CODE: 49-9041.00

RAPIDS CODE: 0292

Type of Training: Time-based

Machinist (CNC)

O\*NET-SOC CODE: 51-4041.00

RAPIDS CODE: 0296

Type of Training: Time-based

Maintenance Mechanic, Industrial

O\*NET-SOC CODE: 49-9041.00

RAPIDS CODE: 0308

Type of Training: Time-based

Millwright

O\*NET-SOC CODE: 49-9044.00

RAPIDS CODE: 0335

Type of Training: Time-based

Pipe Fitter

O\*NET-SOC CODE: 47-2152.00

RAPIDS CODE: 0414

Type of Training: Time-based

Plumber

O\*NET-SOC CODE: 47-2152.00

RAPIDS CODE: 0432

Type of Training: Time-based

Tool and Die Maker

O\*NET-SOC CODE: 51-4111.00

RAPIDS CODE: 0586

Type of Training: Time-based

Welder, Combination

O\*NET-SOC CODE: 51-4121.00

RAPIDS CODE: 0622

Type of Training: Time-based

1. **Inquiries.** If you have any questions, please contact Marc DeCoster, Multi-State Navigator, Region V, Regional Office of Apprenticeship, at (313) 771-6342 or decoster.marc.l@dol.gov.
2. **Attachments**

